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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed **September 22, 2008**, please amend the abovereferenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.